

**IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

David Danvers CROSSMAN et al.

Conf. 5480

Application No. 10/520,507

Group 3736

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Examiner John Pani

IMPROVEMENTS RELATING TO BLOOD SAMPLING DEVICES

**AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 1, 2010

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 31, 2009,  
for which the period for response has been extended two months,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims which begins on page 2 of this response.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this response.